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FORTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

Petition of Soldiers and Sailors—The Currency—The Exodus Movement, Etc., Etc.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Voorhees, of Indiana, presented a petition of seven thousand ex-soldiers and sailors praying to be paid in greenbacks the difference between the value of the greenbacks in which they were paid fo services to the government and the value of gold at the time of the payment. Laid on the table.

Butler, of South Carolina, introduced an amendment to the Senate joint resolution introduced by Bayard withdrawing legal tender quality of greenbacks. The resolution as proposed to be amended will read: "That from and after January 1st, 1885, Treasury notes of the United States shall be receivable for all dues to the United States, except duties on imports, and shall not be otherwise legal tender, and any of said notes that shall thereafter be issued shall bear this superscription." Referred to the finance committee.

The Vice-President presented a communication from the Post-Master-General recommending deficiency appropriations of $20,62.12 for exigencies of service caused by the extension of star routes and for other minor deficiencies. Referred.

Voorhees introduced a resolution providing for a committee of five Senators to investigate the causes leading to negro emigration from North Carolina to Indiana. Laid over on the objection of Edmunds to its present consideration.

The Senate on motion of Maxey took up the Senate bill to amend rule 103, rules and articles of war so as to provide a rule of limitation for prosecution for desertion. Laid over on motion of Mr. Edmonds to allow further examination of its provisions.

A bill to enable the Secretary of War to purchase land to enlarge and protect United States arsenal at San Antonio, and appropriating one hundred and forty thousand dollars for that purpose, was taken up and passed.

The Senate then, at 1:15, went into executive session.

Senator Bayard, from the committee on judiciary reported favorably on the Senate bill for the relief of Somerville and Davis, of Galveston. Adjourned.

HOUSE.

Among the bills introduced and referred this morning were two by Mr. Morse, of Massachusetts, for the encouragement of American ship building and manufactures, and for the appointment of a commission to ascertain and report a basis for reciprocity treaty between the United States and the British Provinces

Mr. Steele, of North Carolina, introduced a bill changing the time for meeting of congress to the second Monday in January.

Mr. O'Conner, of South Carolina, introduced a bill to re-establish the office of United States Assistant Treasurer at Charleston. Also, calling for information as to the proceeds of the sale of land for direct taxes in the State of South Carolina.

Mr. Sanford, of Alabama, introduced a bill regulating the manner of counting the votes for President and Vice-President,

Mr. Money, of Mississippi, bill calling for information concerning the carrying of lottery matters through the mails.

By Mr. Hooker, of Mississippi, bill calling for information as to the expenses incurred by the government in prosecution of timber suits in the Southern district of Mississippi.

By Mr. Chalmers, of Mississippi, bill to encourage the education of the colored race.

By Mr. McMillan, of Tennessee, bill to levy and collect an income tax.

By Mr. Culberson, of Texas, bill for the construction of a railroad from San Antonio to Laredo Texas.

By Mr. Bragg, of Wisconsin, bill for the relief of General Fitz John Porter. (It annuls and revokes the court martial findings and sentence in the case of General Fitz John Porter, restoring him to service as Colonel in the army and provides for the payment of all arrearages as Major General up to September 1st, 1866, and as Colonel there after.)

Parliament Prorogued.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—It is understood that the council to be held at Windsor Castle to-day will further prorogue Parliament until February next, when it will meet for the dispatch of business. Summons have been issued for the meeting of the cabinet council to consider serious news from Afghanistan.

French Politics.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The election of M. Marius Marlin, a Bonapartist to Paris municipal council which was for the eighth arrondizzement or champs elyzes quarter, which is always anti-Republican.

Ayoub Khan, Governor of Herat, left that city a fortnight ago with his troops, with the intention of attacking the British at Caudahar. The correspondent of the *Times* at Caudahar thinks that undoubtedly the duranis of Caudahar and that district will unite with the British if necessary to resent the Heratees.

Sad Case of Heart Disease.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The services in the new Reformed Episcopal Church of this city yesterday were interrupted by a sudden prostration of Mr. Payne, the clergyman. In one of the climaxes of his exortation he lost consciousness and fell behind the pulpit. There was an immediate rush among those present to his aid, and still unconscious he was borne to the residence of one of his parishioners near by and medical attendance called. He had been stricken down by an attack of heart disease from which he had been suffering for some time. Last night he was still alive but his condition is regarded as critical.

A General Denial.

MADRID, Dec. 15.—Most of the statements published in reference to the recent events are officially declared to be either exaggerated or incorrect. Only six generals of the army have resigned, none of them actually held commands, but only occupied administrative posts.

Steamship Arrival:

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The British steamer Liddlesdale, from New Orleans, Nov. 16th for Reval has arrived at Shields with her machinery damaged.

A Bonapartist Elected.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—Marius Martin, a Bonapartist, has been elected to the municipal council, beating his Republican opponent by a large majority.

The Rowing Match.

SYRACUSE, Dec. 15.—Courtney says he is in no condition to row with Hanlan this winter.

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—Hanlan arrived home Saturday. He does not intend to be caught napping in the event of Courtney responding, and will commence at once to take regular land exercise and practice at his rowing machine.

COTTON CROP-REPORT.

More Favorable than Before Reported—North Carolina Reported.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The following is the condition of the cotton and corn crop as furnished by the department of agriculture and cotton returns from correspondents for the month ending December 1st, substantially confirms the report of the month previous. The weather has been favorable in all sections of the cotton belt. The reports of the product west of the Mississippi river are more favorable and will increase the aggregate of Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, as over that reported last month. The following is a synopsis of the reports: North Carolina, five counties report the product as averaging five per cent. more than last year; 22 counties average 25 per cent. less and 6 the same. South Carolina reports 20 per cent. more; 11 average 17 per cent less and two the same. Georgia: Twelve report an average of 12 per cent. more, thirty-two, 20 per cent. less and twenty-nine same as last year. Florida: None report more; eleven report an average of 10 per cent. less and two the same. Alabama: One reports 10 per cent. more; fifteen, an average of 16 per cent. less and eight the same. Mississippi: Fourteen report an average of 20 per cent. more; fourteen an average of 10 per cent. less and three are the same. Louisiana: Four report an average of 15 per cent. more; four, report 10 per cent. less and one the same. Texas reports nine counties with an average of 24 per cent. more than last year, thirty-five counties with an average of 39 per cent. less and eight with the same. Arkansas: Nineteen counties report 20 per cent. more; six an average of 16 per cent. less and five the same. Tennessee: Nine report 75 per cent. more; two an average of 20 per cent less and seven the same.

Nearly Froze to Death.

NEW YORK, Dec, 15.—An Omaha special says Brigadier General Crook came very near losing his life on a recent hunting expedition in Platte Valley, being overtaken by a snow storm, known in that region as a "blizzard." He was barely able to reach his house with ears and feet frozen and nearly chilled to death. He has not yet recovered.

Mass of Correspondence Found.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 15.—The *Pioneer* (newspaper) asserts that an immense mass of correspondence has been found and laid before the Government, including instructions from the Russian Government to its agents in central Asia, marking out the course they were to follow with the ex-Ameer, Shere Ali. The papers are said to show Russian intrigues against Afghanistan were active as far back as 1873, and to afford conclusive proof of the falsity of the excuses given for the Russian mission to Cabul last year.

The Lottery Business in Canada.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—An extensive lottery scheme was introduced here some two years ago under the auspices of the Roman Catholic bishop of the diocese. Thousands of tickets were sold throughout Canada and the United States, but up to the present time no drawing has taken place. The manager states that owing to over 50,000 tickets having been distributed to irresponsible persons for sale, from whom no returns have been received, and to two men having absconded with a large number of tickets, the lottery could not be proceeded with. The financial embarrassment of the bishop is another cause of the collapse of the affair, and nothing can be done toward a settlement until the return of his lordship from Rome.

Something Strange—Regarding a Young Woman's Sleep.

RICHMOND, VA., December 12.—The young lady who has been lying in a trance at her mother's residence here for the past six months, startled those around her to-day by suddenly recovering the use of her tongue, and to a certain extent the use of her limbs. This wonderful case was telegraphed soon after its existence became known and ever since its beginning there has been, to all appearances, an almost total suspension of vitality in the sleeper.

This morning however, as the mother was giving some directions in regard to medicine, she was startled to hear her daughter say, "It is of no use." Since that time the young lady, though still very weak, and showing no desire to engage in a long conversation, has been able to talk perfectly well. Her attempts to walk, however, are exactly such as would be made by a child, she being only able to take a step or two at a time. She says that, though utterly unable to throw off the state of lethargy that bound her, yet she was thoroughly conscious of everything that was transpiring around her, and can repeat remarks that were made, and describe the times when she was moved, although she was, to all appearances as lifeless as a log on these occasions.

Found After a Long While.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—A Tunnelton, West Virginia, dispatch says the remains of Joseph M. Ashby, who was last seen alive on October 22d, were discovered Saturday in an old shaft over Kingwood tunnel, near that place. A man named Saunders, who has been missing two weeks, is feared to have shared the same fate, as a light lowered to the bottom of the shaft revealed the man's leg and arm.

Dead! Dead!! Dead!!!

LONDON, Dec. 15.- The noted executioner Calfraft, who for years held the office of hangman in England, is dead,

A Wholesale Business.

SCRANTON, Pennsylvania, Dec. 15.—Mr. W. W. Wenton, President of the Second National Bank, his son, son-in-law and his brother-in-law Isaac Dean, were arrested to-day charged with maliciously conspiring to defraud the bank of $135,000.

A Poor Nomination.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The President to-day nominated Thomas M. Blodgett, Collector of Customs for the district of St. Mary's, Georgia.

A Mad Coon.

Some time last winter a gentleman in the northern part of Smith county, Texas, on the Sabine river, was riding a pony, and, as he was approaching the river, a raccoon ran up and bit the horse on the leg. The raccoon continued to attack until the gentleman put the pony into a gallop and ran off. A few days ago the gentleman was leading the pony out of a pasture. While he was letting down the fence the pony suddenly commenced biting the rails furiously, had a fit, fell down, and in a few moments was dead.

A Forked-tailed "Whale."

Border Review.

Our own opinion is that the North Carolina Railroad system is a whale without a tail, and that the roads proposed to be built beyond Asheville, will give her a forked tail.

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

STATE RIGHTS A TIME-HONORED DOCTRINE.

His Tribute to the Constitution of the United States—An Able Defence of the South.

J. B. Danforth, of Rock Island, having addressed Jefferson Davis to the effect that "something should be done at once by Southern leaders of public opinion to counteract the efforts of Republicans who are endeavoring to make a solid North on the idea that State rights means secession; that the people are still for secession; that there is no freedom of speech or of the press in the South, and that the South has been made solid by means of the shotgun," the reply comes, and is published in full as follows:

BEAUVOIR, HARRISON COUNTY, MISS., November 23, 1879.

J. B. Danforth, Esq.:

MY DEAR SIR:—I was gratified by the receipt of your letter as a token of your remembrance of me when in former and in happier days we were officially connected with each other

I was also gratified by the receipt of a copy of your paper, the *Rock Islander*.

It so happened that at the time a local candidate had called to visit me, and the conversation turned upon the time-honored doctrine of State rights. Like many others in our section, he supposed this to be a creed which peculiarly belonged to the South. I, who have known, and am happy to remember, men of every section true to the theory of a Union voluntarily formed by sovereign States, endeavored to explain that it was not a Southern idea, but a historical fact; that it belonged to no section, but sprang from the brains of men who declared the independence of the colonies, and formed the compact for a more perfect union of the States. To prove my position I read to him your article headed "What is Meant by State Rights?" and was pleased to see the effect which it produced when he knew that it came from the State of Illinois, and high up on the Mississippi river.

If there is anything which, more clearly than another, the framers of the constitution did not intend to do, it was to submit the people of the States to the unbridled will of a majority of the people of all the States. Sectional majorities have changed; they may, all probably will, change again; and the bulwarks which alone can protect minorities from the usurping tendency of a general government, is a strict construction of delegated powers and a fair observance of the reserved rights of the States and of the people.

When the States delegated certain functions to a general government, the purpose was declared to be to secure the blessings of liberty to themselves and their posterity.

The confederation, which had been declared perpetual, was terminated to form a more perfect union of those States which should agree to enter into it. Being without any precedent in history, but taught by the examples of all ancient republics of the rocks and shoals on which they had been wrecked, *a compact of union was formed which must ever stand a model of wisdom on the part of those who framed it.*

The reservation of rights, as you have forcibly presented it, only marks the limit between the powers of the general government and those which the States and the people thereof would continue to exercise. This was to secure liberty to their posterity, not to elevate a new master to the throne from which George III had been deposed.

In the many years that have passed since the formation of that constitution, with the many chief magistrates the South has given to the Union, it seems strange that, in this day, belief in the doctrine on which the Union was founded, and which was uniformly avowed by the men who illustrated its early history, should now be regarded as hostility to its existence, and that the creeds of State rights should be held as the synonym of a desire to destroy the Union of the Constitution. Truth is said to be eternal. It is well that it should be, for error so far outstrides its stately steps that otherwise we might fear whether truth would finally overtake it.

Those who have carefully noted the usurpation and oppression to which the South was subjected after she had laid down her arms and faithfully agreed to abide by the laws of the United States, would have no need to go further in order to find a reason why the South was solidified in the defense of her rights of person and property. Would the North, under like circumstances, have been less so? Would they have shown equal patience under wrong?

It is surely little less than a fraud to state that the assertion by the South of her right to protection under the Constitution is equivalent to a declaration on her part of a desire to secede from the Union. Any logical mind would draw from these facts the reverse conclusion. It may serve the purpose of artful politicians to foment sectional discord, and thus make a solid North, which, being the majority section, can then wield the power and appropriate as well the political as the financial benefits of the general government. But the men who desire a fraternal union and a general prosperity must see that it is not the road by which either can be reached.

In 1860 the secessionists, *per se*, to use the phrase of that day, were few and far between. They are fewer now and further between.

It is, therefore, utterly untrue that State rights, as asserted here, mean secession. And equally untrue is it that there is no freedom of opinion or of speech, or the press, among us. Personal difficulties and family feuds have been misrepresented as political combinations to suppress the freedom of elections, while in point of fact our elections have been as peaceable and orderly as elsewhere. Indeed, there has been a studied effort not to permit any riotous proceedings which could be used by emissaries as the means of injuring our reputation or invalidating our elections.

Impoverished by a devastating war, we desire emigration to cultivate our waste lands and to restore prosperity to our communities. We have a soil and climate inviting to the agriculturist and the manufacturer, and would gladly welcome both to a home among us.

I have no present or prospective connection with the politics of the day. My observation and reflections are those of a man who has served the country long, and would be glad, before he goes hence, to see peace and prosperity throughout her borders.

For myself, my dear sir, accept assurances of the good wishes and kind remembrances of your friend,

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

Delane's Editorship of the London Times.

Mr. Jennings to New York World.

He had no mercy for his contributors, but perhaps an editor of the *Times* cannot afford to have any. He is being ground in himself in a big machine and it is part of his duty to grind up others. It is doubtful, however whether such discipline as he instituted can be maintained in these altered days. Men will not give up everything in life even for the *Times*, as they were then expected to do. As an outsider now many changes strike me. Under Mr. Delane it was as much as a man's life was worth to say that he had written an article for the *Times*, or even to talk much about the paper. Now it is common to hear people brag of having written such and such an article for the *Times*, and one or two of the contributors rather ostentatiously get up from a dinner table, saying: "I must go; I have to write for the *Times* to-night." No man would have been allowed the chance of saying that twice in the days of Delane and Mowbray Morris. Mr. Delane always set a good example himself by never referring to the paper out of doors. A very slight hint was sometimes sufficient to put Mr. Delane on the scent of a good bit of news. One day he met a great physician in his club. They had a chat together, and presently the doctor said: "Lord Northbrook called on me to-day and asked me how a hot climate would suit his daughter, whom I had under my charge. I said it would suit her very well indeed," Mr. Delane said nothing. Next day the first article in the *Times* astonished everybody including the official world, by announcing that Lord Northbrook was going to India as governor general. A few hours afterwards an acquaintance of Lord Northbrook met him and offered his congratulations. "But it is premature," said the new viceroy, "it was only settled this morning. How the *Times* got hold of it I do not know, for no one but myself and the prime minister had even conversed about it." The editor had just simply thought over the visit to the physician, and put two and two together.

Halifax Letter.

Correspondence of the NEWS.

WELDON, Dec. 15.—It is seldom I attempt to say anything through this medium; but I feel that even my feeble efforts ought to be exerted in this one general cause. And knowing of no paper that my views coincide with more than your own, I ask to be allowed a little space for this article. To the Democrats of old Halifax county I will say, being forewarned we should be forearmed. We see the political wire-pullers moving, and knowing that we have an all important election approaching, it is time that all true Democrats should wake up from their lethergy. We have slept long enough in regardless ease. The people say they have been taxed until now they have nothing additional left to be taxed upon unless a tax is imposed upon their ragged and hungry children. It can't be wondered at that family, after family crawls out of this country when we have to carry such burdens for the luxury and pleasure of the mortgage bond holders of the W. N. C. R. R. In addition to our already heavy tax, we learn that there will be a petition from our County Commissioners to the next legislature for an extra tax to pay all county indebtedness. Yes a special tax while we are paying six thousand dollars annually for the so-called "great West" and its railroad politicians.

It is right and just, that even man should know for what we are being Heretofore our people have had implicit confidence in their party leaders who have kept them pliant to the crack of the party whip. The word "party" has been the hobby on which unworthy, and in some instances dishonest men have ridden into office, and once they have led the tax-payers through a mystical dance. Those dishonest men have crept into their fat places by the aid and influence of friends, who seem to make party a mere object of pecuniary gain, sacrificing principle and the people's money to their own personal aggrandizement.

And now that it is done, we see news papers of our own party, who profess to be our guides, clamoring against exposing the rascality and defects of public officers and representatives. Is it possible that they imagine that what is done publicly by one party is not known, almost before hand in the ranks of the other? Who then do they mean to cloak it from.

Who can it be except the worn out tax payers of their own party, whom they hope to control with the party whip?

We have Democrats in this county who have been tried and found to be good and true men. We want these men to fill our offices and unless we take our best men, regardless of cliques and cabals, we will always be behind.

We have felt the consequences of having dishonest, inefficient officers whenever and wherever we have had the power to place a Democrat in office, and have failed to fill such offices with proper men through the intrigue of friends and an over confidence in their honesty, simply because they were Democrats.

The Republicans see and are chuckling over the mistakes of our party. They are rejoicing to see Democratic defaulters. Does any one pretend to suppose that because a man is a Republican he does not see what is passing right under his nose? The two parties are not secret societies; but public bodies open to the world. The Radicals can see our errors just as quickly as we see theirs. Suppose they do not make a party issue of these matters. No one can stop the mouths of individuals during a heated campaign which the coming one is likely to be. Now we want our best and truest men brought forward for the officers in and from this county. We have had enough of intriguing for friends and relations. We want a fair and open nomination next year of our truest and best men, then we may hope to elect our ticket. We say away with railroad subsidies, and away with defaulters, whether Democrat, Radical or Republican.

Hoping this may set our Democrats to thinking, I bid you adieu. DAVIE.

Natural Acting.

London Globe.

The following remarkable anecdote is extracted from "An Essay on the Science of Acting:" In the town of North Walsham, Norfolk, 1788, The Fair Penitent was performed. In the last act, where Calista lays her hand on the skull, a Mrs. Berry, who played the part, was seized with an involuntary shuddering and fell on the stage. During the night her illness continued; but the following day, when sufficiently recovered to converse, she sent for the stage-keeper and anxiously inquired where he procured the skull. He replied, from the sexton, who informed him it was the skull of one Norris, a player, who, twelve years before, was buried in the graveyard. That same Norris was her first husband. She died in six weeks.

Mr. Cornell's Resignation.

Governor-elect Cornell, of New York, has resigned his place as a member of the Republican National Committee, in a letter which was sent to General Chester A. Arthur, chairman of the Republican State Committee, on Wednesday. The reasons assigned are briefly that he will find so much to do as Governor and as a member of the State Committee that it will be impossible for him to properly represent the State of New York in the National Committe. There is every probability that Mr. Thomas C. Platt, of Oswego, Tioga county, will be elected as Mr. Cornell's successor on the committee.

DEMOCRATIC LEADERS.

THE POSITION THAT IS ACCORDED TO MR. TILDEN.

The House Does Not Believe that Mr. Tilden can Ever be a Candidate for President.

Baltimore Sun, 15th.

A number of gentlemen who are credited with being friends of Mr. Tilden have been circulating around hotels and other frequented places in the last week, evidently with the purpose to guage public opinion. It has been noticed here ever since the meeting of Congress that few if any of the Democratic members of either House believe that Mr. Tilden either will or can be a candidate for the next Presidency, and it seems quite the general idea here that his name will not be prominently before the next Democratic convention. If there is one thing above another in this connection in which the Democratic leaders here appear to be agreed at this time, it is, as announced to-day by one of the most prominent and influential of them, that the next Democratic nominee must be a man entirely acceptable to both wings of the Democratic party in the State of New York.

MILITIA REORGANIZATION.

There is an understanding that the House committee on military affairs will shortly take up the subject of the reorganization on a scale of much greater magnitude and efficiency, of the militia of the different States. No particular plan seems to have commended itself to the members of the committee, and there does not seem to have been developed any marked feeling of approval of the idea suggested by the chief of the ordnance bureau, of making the militia a part of the organization of the regular army. But there is a general idea that the government can and should afford substantial aid to place the militia of the States upon an organized and efficient footing, and in a manner entirely consonant with the spirit of our institutions.

The Fading Away of Antique London.

Conray in Cincinnati Commercial.

London is steadily and rapidly undergoing a transformation. Its old voice has already been changed. Until lately one could fully understand in London alone what was meant by the roar of a great city. The never-ceasing rattle of omnibuses and cabs over granulated stone pavements made it necessary for people to shout at each other when they tried to talk on the streets and in counting houses, and conversation was a verbal exchange of loud and compact reports. But long ago many of the omnibuses were superceded by the trains running silently underground, and those that remain and the cabs that glide softly over asphalte from one end of London to the other. The ancient roar has subsided into distant and unfrequented streets. The old darkness which, in this autumn season used to envelop London, and which gas could not dispel, has yielded to the electric lights which have long lit up several dense thoroughfares and the Thames embankment, and last night illuminated Waterloo bridge. The river is now gliding under bright daylight—the electric lamps, burning at three pence the hour, are in frosted glass, which destroys only 35 per cent. of their brilliancy—and it is likely that the river boats will presently begin to run by night. The old land-marks, or city-marks, are disappearing. It is impossible to recognize the Charing Cross of ten years ago. Temple Bar is a thing of the past, and the great architecture of the new law courts glorifies what was once a dingy street. Any one who passes near Field Lane over the fine electric-lighted Holborn viaduct, or by Smithfield market, would say that Charles Dickens must have drawn largely on his imagination in depicting the scenes amid which Fagin and the Artful Dodger carried on their exploits. There is no more the old London of dens and thieves' quarters, of darkness and eternal din. Antiquity begins to be a novelty. The desire to hold on to or recall what was beautiful in it finds its chief response in the new village of Bedford Park, in the western suburbs, where artists, art-lovers, and literary men have built their picturesque homes in what is called the Queen Anne style—red brick gables, tiles, little porches, etc.

Fairbanks in Australia.

On the basement floor at the International Exhibition in Sydney, the Fairbanks Co., whose factory is at St. Johnsbury, Vermont, and whose scales and weigh-bridges are celebrated all the world over, have a large number of weighing machines and scales to show, besides a collection of small scales on the main floor. The head depots of the Company are at New York, but they have branches in all the chief cities of America, and also in London and on the continent of Europe. The firm has been established for nearly half a century, and employs some 2,000 workmen. It is the largest establishment of the kind in the world, and it will be easily understood that they carry on their operations on a very large scale. They show weigh-bridges, weighing-machines, sliding-poise balances, platform scales, and all manner of instruments for determining weight. The poise balance are a great improvement upon the old system of weights. Some of the small scales are provided with an attached balance that does away altogether with the necessity for using weights. But the principal articles manufactured by the firm are their weigh-bridges and weighing-machines for railways. The poise balances of this firm are in use in all post-offices of Great Britain and America.—*The Australian County Journal, Sydney, Sept. 27, 1879.*

How they Do it in 'Frisco.

Exchange.

One of the most prominent young burglars in San Francisco was walking out of court the other day, just after having secured an acquittal regarding his latest job by a prompt and business-like "divvy" with the powers that be at the usual rates, a well-to-do but anxious-looking stranger touched his arm and beckoned him into a doorway.

"You are 'Teddy the Ferret,' ain't you?" asked the gentleman,—"the man who was tried to-day for safe-cracking?"

"Well, wot of it?" replied the housebreaker.

"Why, just this,—you'll excuse me for speaking so low,—but the fact is, I've come all the way from the San Joaquin to look up a party in your line of business."

"Have, eh?"

"Yes—I—well, I've a little proposition to make to you."

"Exactly," said the Ferret, calmly; "you're a bank cashier down in the foot-hills."

"How did you know that?" stammered the gentleman, much amazed.

"And your cash and accounts are to be gone over by the Directors on the 1st, and, as you can't realize on your stocks, you want me to gag you some time next week, shoot your hat full of holes, find the combination in your breast pocketbook, and go through the safe in the regular way."

"Great heavens, man! how did you find all that out?"

"Why, I guessed it. It's the regular thing, you know. Got three orders to attend to ahead of yours now. Lemme see. Can't do anything for you next week, but might give you Wednesday or Thursday of the week after. How'll that suit you?"

The cashier said he thought he could make that do, and in less than five minutes they had struck a bargain and arranged the whole affair.

A Twenty Thousand Dollar Whisper.

New York Sunday World.

Nearly twenty years ago when Count Alberti was secretary of the Italian embassy at Paris, some high play was going on one night at the Cercle des Mirlitons, then in the Rue de Grammont, M. W——, now a member of the Chamber, and the Duke of C——taking the bank.

They were 100,000 francs ahead when M. W——, who had just shuffled the cards, glancing at the small stakes on the table—it was late and most of the heavy betters had retired—whispered to his partner, "Pity I wasted time on this deal; we should have stopped for there's nothing left to win—there's nothing here but Italians."

Count Alberti heard the whisper and said calmly. "I'll go a hundred thousand on this hand."

The dealer, somewhat surprised, dealt the cards. He had eight.

Count Alberti showed his—nine!—put the stakes in his pocket, bowed politely and left the club, having vindicated the honor of his country and made twenty thousand dollars.

A Backwoods' Revenue Court.

Correspondence of the News.

GRAHAM, N. C., Dec. 13. 1879.

Revenue agent O. H. Blocker has discovered a new court running "under ground" in Alamance and Orange counties. One Lewis Scotten, of Alamance, is the chief justice, the marshal, the detective and the receiver of compromises. He has an associate in one John Finley, of Orange county, who also acts as solicitor. The latest victim is Mr. William Sharpe, of Orange county, an honest old farmer who retails liquor to his neighbors and who *loans* it when his friends have not the ready cash. On one occasion Mr. Sharpe loaned a neighbor five gallons for a wheat thrashing frolic. The spirits were duly returned, but Chief Justice Scotten and Solicitor Finley proved it was *blockade* that was returned, and not a simon pure tax-paid article.

Mr. Sharpe went all the way from Orange county at the demand of the Solicitor to the residence of Chief Justice Scotten, some twenty miles away in Alamance county, to submit to a demanded compromise. One hundred dolars was demanded and paid by Mr. Sharpe as a compromise for this offence. The money was divided between Scotten and Finley.

Mr. Blocker got the wind of it, and found on investigation that the above were the facts. Scotten is in Alamance jail in default of bond and the United States Marshals are after Finley. Scotten claimed that he had authority to detect and compromise frauds on the internal revenue.

The whole thing was a base conspiracy to defraud Sharpe and others by claiming authority they did not possess and concocting false issues to effect their designs.

LATE NEWS NOTES.

Eastern brewers talk of putting up the price of beer on account of the failure of the hop crop in England. This is a mere dodge to bleed the boys.

The Maine Republicans confess to having spent not less than $30,000 working voters at the late election. How much more was spent they don't feel like telling.

The Boston *Post* says Schurz is to be bounced. Caught out on a foul! In that case, he can crack his performing knee-pads together and defy the entire field.

Its decided that Grant is to pass through Washington on his Pullman car without stopping, when he goes to Key West to embark for Cuba.

Grant's Memory.

Louisville Courier-Journal.

Two of the clearest marked points of General Grant's character from the inspection of his military and political career have been those of close observation and remarkable memory. An incident illustrative of these characteristics occurred day before yesterday at the Louisville Hotel in his reception of the Tennessee delegation of ex-Confederate soldiers. In the course of introduction to the different members of this body, General Grant's eye chanced to fall upon a gentleman who was standing slightly apart from the others. For a moment his face bore an expression of thoughtfulness, then it lightened up as if with sudden recollection, and, stepping forward, he grasped the gentleman's hand, saying, "I have seen you, sir, before, but where I cannot call to mind; will you be kind enough to enlighten me?"

"Yes, General, you have seen me before. You saw me at the battle of Fort Donelson, the scene of your first victory. I then commanded a Tennessee regiment under Forrest, and, when he capitulated to your hard knocks, I, with the greater portion of my men, escaped from the fort and avoided capture. Are you enlightened now, General?"

"Ah, yes," responded the expresident; "I recollect you perfectly now. You are Colonel Wilson. Eighteen years have elapsed since that memorable fight; yet I will never forget the occurrence you mention."

Billiard Table For Sale.

One new Nonpareil Novelty Carome Table, Brunswick & Balke make, for sale. Apply to M. Bills, City Bottling Warks, Raleigh, N. C.

The New Constitution.

The Charter under which the Louisiana State Lottery Company proceeds was, by the vote of the people of Louisiana, embeded in the new constitution so that no fluctuations of politics or adverse private interests can hereafter interfere with the regular drawings of the Company, the next of which occurs on the 13th January.

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The secret of good living is of vast importance to all mankind. Every good liver knows this—but when the liver is bad, then take Rosadalis, the the great Southern Remedy, and Mott's Liver Pills. They are sure to restore you to health.

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CLEAR AS THE DAY.

AND VERY READILY COMPREHENDED.

Bill Arp Explains the Presidential Outlook in a Manner Original and Unique.

Atlanta Constitution.

It seems to me that it's most too soon to make a president, but there's less harm in it than in speculating in cotton futures. The newspapers are very busy about it and have settled it up very satisfactorily to them who can understand it. Now, if Seymour can carry New York and aint too old to run, and Hendricks will run with him and can carry his State, and Bayard can carry Delaware, and Alex Stephens will stand up to the party, and we can elect our man, and Hewitt don't trade him off and General Grant concludes to run the canal and Lochrane gets reconciled, and Dr. Felton is satisfied to stay in congress the balance of his life, and everything works smoothly and we make good crops next year, why we will all be happy and no loss on our side. But if General Grant runs and General Hancock and the bondholders put up eight or ten millions and Pennsylvania goes for Hancock and New York for Grant and the other States go some other way and nobody knows how the thing is mixed up and Mr. Stephens goes for Grant and nobody is elected, why we can't tell very much about it nohow. The whole business is very much like Uncle Pete Strozheir's charge to the jury. Cox was suing Wilcox about a horse trade. Cox said that the horse he bought from Wilcox had the glanders and died of it. Wilcox said he only had the distemper and that he would get well if he had been properly doctored. About forty witnesses were examined and half of 'em swore the horse had the distemper and the other half swore he died of glanders. So the judge charged the jury at great length, for said he: "Gentlemen, the supreme court says that more than half the cases that come up there never would have come if the judge so charged the jury as to make 'em understand the case. Now I'll try and make this case as luminous to you as the noonday sun. Now you've heard all the evidence more or less and I charge you that if the horse had the glanders and died after he got over it, then Cox is entitled to recover the value of an unsound horse; but if Wilcox had the distemper and the horse didn't have the glanders, then the horse can't recover; and if Cox and Wilcox had the glanders, then the jury must say what is the measure of damages; and if the horse had the distemper and Cox cured him of it, then Wilcox is liable for rent and occupation; but the whole case depends on how old the horse was, and whether he had ever had the blind staggers or not—all of which you are to determine according to the evidence counting the number of witnesses on both sides whether they are even or odd, but I charge you that if neither Cox nor Wilcox nor the horse had the glanders nor the distemper then the jury can't recover, and you will be obliged to bring in a verdict for the witnesses in this case. Retire, gentlemen, and make up your decree.

The next case was about a cow that was unruly and had to wear a yoke and a poke and got hung in a grape vine, and was choked to death, and the plaintiff sued the man he bought her from, and after all the evidence was submitted Uncle Pete charged the jury that if the cow was sold to Higgins as a sound cow and she was unruly and had to be yoked and poked, and by reason thereof got choked to death by a grape vine, and was'nt fit for beef nor pork, nor mutton, nor milk, and was a total loss except as to her hide and tallow, and Higgins put the cow in the field where the railroad run over her, and the cow was on the track in the train's time or the train was on the track in the cow's time, then the plaintiff can't recover anything more than consequental damages, and I charge you that this is the law of this case, but you can find for the cow or the railroad just as you please. But gentlemen of the jury, I charge you that you must find for the plaintiff in this case, provided you don't think the defendant ought to recover."

Jesso. Now, it occurs to me from reading the newspapers that the whole thing about the next President is as clear as a sunbeam, and if any man wants to be on it, why theres no trouble about making up an issue. If Mr. Tilden lives to see the next convention and is not nominated, why then you may set it down that somebody else will be, and if General Grant dont beat him, and Sherman and Blaine dont run why then Judge Lochrane and George Washington Childs will have to write a funeral ode and wait four years more for an office and then not get it—provided we elect our man and he ain't cheated out of it and we don't have a king put over us in the meantime. My opinion is that some of the newspapers have put it exactly but which one it is I am not prepared to say at this time and think the whole matter ought to be referred to Uncle Pete Strozhier. BILL ARP.

A "Mud-Cut" Politician.

Border Review.

The true North Carolina statesman is not the eastern central or western North Carolinian; but the one who is sufficiently expansive, when in recumbent posture, to extend his right foot to the mouth of the Cape Fear, and his left to Nag's Head; while his right hand reaches to the Old Dominion, and for a pillow, his head rests upon the sky blue mountains of the west.

We are in receipt of the Catalogue of Bingham School for 1879. The number for the current session (the 171st) is 50 per cent. ahead of the *last* and 25 per cent ahead of *any* former Session. Every Southern State, we believe is represented and also New York and Wisconsin, Brazil and Siam. The catalogue claims that the culture of the faculty is broader, the discipline and instruction better, the satisfaction given to pupil and patron greater, than ever before. The Prize and Scholarship features are new and so is a Leipzig Ph. D. among the teachers of a Southern School. The increase from 103 in 1876, 122 in 1877, 142 in 1778 to 166 in 1879, is very significant. Board is $12 per month. Tuition, $50 per Session. See advertisement.

No More Hard Times.

If you will stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style, buy good, healthy food, cheaper and better clothing; get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of employing expensive, quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, but put your trust in that simple, pure remedy, Hop Bitters; that cures always at a trifling cost, and you will see good times and have good health. See another column.

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DAILY NEWS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1879

GEO. C. JORDAN, Editor and Prop'r.

A PROTECTIVE tariff does not appear to lift Germany out of its business depression. In Berlin, correspondents report almost complete "stagnation" in banking and business circles, one proof of which is seen in the fact that not one-third of the small houses belonging to building associations are occupied. In Paris, meanwhile, building is brisker than at any time since the busies: days of the second empire, and one thousand two hundred new houses are in progress of erection.

As usual the presence of Congress in Washington sets the Blaine boom a-booming. The special dispatches teem with assertions that Blaine stock is rising It always does when Congress sits. The capital is full of Blaine's friends. They are men he has helped in their ambition, added in their schemes, noticed in their obscurity. The one enterprise in which Blaine has never been a "dead-head" is the business of making friends by political favor. Through such men Washington is always colored with the Blaine influence, but the country is several sizes larger than Washington, as Blaine found out at Cincinnati.

THE news from Hayti indicates great quiet there. The Island of Hayti consists of two republics, both of which have been overturned by revolutions during the past month. In one the President is being besieged by the opposition, and most of the ministry have been hung; in the other, the President has wisely fled from the country, while his adherents are either in jail or concealed at one of the foregoing consulates. All the presidents and ministers being thus dead, in exile or besieged, the two republics are enjoying the unusual luxury of peace and quiet.

PRINCE ALEXANDER, of Battenburg, the new ruler of Bulgaria, has hardly had time to warm his seat on the throne before the throne itself seems to be threatening to crumble away beneath him. He is said to have become already very unpopular, and a dispatch from Sofia announces that serious fears exist lest there should speedily be a revolution in the new State. The Prince has already been compelled to dissolve the Assembly and order a new election, because the leaders of the majority refused to allow him any voice in the selection of his own cabinet, and declined also to modify their address to the throne reflecting seriously upon the Prince's administration of affairs. Things in Bulgaria seem to be curiously mixed, but the Prince Alexander has still a refuge—in Battenberg.

WHO shall be Chief Justice is as interesting a question in South Carolina as who shall be President is to other parts of the country. Chief Justice Willard, who now fills the office, was elected for the unexpired term of Judge Moses. Judge Willard claims, however, that he is entitled to hold office for a full term of six years. Should the present Legislature disagree with him, as it probably will, and elect his successor, Judge Willard will force the Judge elect to obtain the office by quo warranto. This would be done through the Supreme Court, but Judge Willard is an interested party, and his associate Justice, McIver, is a candidate for the Chief Justiceship. Therefore, the Governor would have to appoint Judges for this particular case, and to cap the climax Governor Simpson is himself a candidate for the Supreme bench, to fill the vacancy to be caused by Judge McIver's promotion. It is a strange muddle.

Ohio's Preference for President.

Ex-Governor Hendricks, on returning home from Washington last week, thus defined his position on the Presidential question to a correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*:

"I do not want the Vice-Presidency, and have said it could not be required of me to accept a nomination for it. Any talk of myself for that place is wasted. The question of my making any supposed sacrifice for my party has two sides. I was willing to yield to the wishes of the party in 1876, and was elected. The Republican managers said their candidate was elected, and they meant to inagurate him. The Democratic managers submitted the rights and decision of a majority to a trial by politicians, giving the other side a majority of the jury. These are the facts and the people know them. I think any good man can be elected by the Democrats, and the party shall have all the aid and influence I can give to its nominees. I do not regard myself a necessity to party success."

THE Danes are beginning to manifest uneasiness as to the fate which awaits their country. They anticipate being sliced up at no distant date for the immediate benefit of Prussia and Sweden. As Denmark can no longer defend the communications between Jutland and the islands by the superiority of her fleet, as was the case during the former wars with Germany, it has been decided on principle not to defend Jutland and the island of Fuhnen, but to concentrate the whole defence of the country on the island of Sealand, where the greater part of the resources of the nation are centred. The population of Copenhagen are said to be profoundly impressed with the conviction that, at the first given opportunity, Prussia intends to occupy Denmark, keeping as her share of the spoil the peninsula of Jutland and the island of Fuhnen, while Sealand and the surrounding islands are to revert to Sweden. This would be tantamount to the final division of Denmark, begun in 1815 by uniting Norway to Sweden, and followed up in 1864 by the occupation of the duchies of Schleswig-Holstein and Lauenburg by Prussia.

Senator Wade Hampton is quoted as saying: "If Horatio Seymour should run he would be the favorite of the South; but I think there is nothing to be hoped for in his case. His health, I understand, would make it impossible for him to be a candidate. Mr. Tilden is dead, politically here."

POLITICAL NOTES.

Twenty-five Indian Democratic newspapers, whose opinions have been collected, speak out more or less openly for Tilden, Hendricks is severely criticised for his emphatic refusal to take again the second place on the ticket. The New Albany *Ledger Standard* says that with his soft-money ideas and antagonism to Tilden he would fall 100,000 votes short of carrying New York. The Fort Wayne *Sentinel* says it is very doubtful if New York can be carried next year without Tilden's co-operation, and without New York the Presidency cannot be secured. Several other papers speak in the same strain.

Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi, who has just returned to Washington, says that he favors Seymour for the nomination, but that with Indiana and New York the democracy can win in 1880 with anybody as a candidate. He says that the Republicans will get no Southern State; the Democrats have them, and mean to keep them.

Mr. Howard Carroll writes to the New York *Times* from Mississippi that there are four different classes of people in the South in favor of Gen. Grant for the President, but he fears they are not in earnest. All of them, he insists are looking for something to turn up by which they can secure some personal or pecuniary advantages.

There is not much doubt about the unanimity of the people of California on the Chinese question. Out of about 163,000 ballots cast at the last election, 156,000 were against Chinese immigration, and only a little over 2,000 declared squarely the other way.

"If the Democrats," says the Cincinnati *Commercial*, "should take up the recommendations of the President and Secretary of the Treasury, and enact them into laws, they would do the public a great service and completely turn the Republican position."

The Leavenworth *Times* recently obtained the preferences of fifty newspapers published in Kansas on the Presidential question. A majority of the papers were outspoken for Grant for President and Blaine for Vice-President. The Democratic papers harped on Bayard and Seymour.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

The electric light has been found a useful signal in surveying. In late work of triangulation in Algeria, it is stated that the light was seen at a distance of one hundred and sixty-four miles.

After some eighteen thousand examinations, Dr. Jeffries affirms that about one male in twenty-five is color-blind to a greater or less degree. He finds the defect to be largely hereditary, although sometimes caused by disease or injury. In the former case it is incurable; but in the latter it may be only a temporary difficulty.

Berlin rejoices in the possession of a scientific cooking association, formed by ladies of the city. It has a school of instruction in cookery, and a qualified chemist gives members of the society lectures in practical chemistry. A laboratory has been established in charge of the chemist, for the examination of articles of food, and also of utensils employed in cooking.

A recently discovered fossil animal, *Amphicallias fragilissimus*, is described as a monster considerably more than one hundred feet in length, with spinal vertebrae six feet across, hind legs forty feet long and a large and powerful tail. Imagine the monster in life, standing on its hind legs in water and catching its prey with its fore paws, and a picture is presented to the mind from the ages long agone.

From a study of the action of tea Mr. W. J. Mortan has arrived at these conclusions: As with any other drug, there is a proper and an improper use of it. In moderation it is a mild and harmless stimulant. Its immoderate use leads to serious symptoms, such as headache, vertigo, ringing in the ears, tremulousness, nervousness, exhaustion, irregular action of the heart, and dyspepsia. Many of the symptoms of excessive tea-drinking are such as may occur without a suspicion of the real cause.

Although the near approach to the earth of several comets has been known the least distances of only two have ever been determined with any degree of accuracy. On July 1, 1770, a comet was within one million three hundred and ninety thousand miles of the earth—the closest approach of one of these bodies of which astronomers have any certain knowledge. Its apparent diameter was two and one-half degrees, or nearly five times the apparent diamter of the moon. It is not surprising that the appartition of such a monster should cause a panic of terror among unenlightened and superstitious inhabitants of the earth.

PERSONAL.

The Sultan is described as looking bowed and unhappy. His face is of a waxy paleness, his beard and eyes are jetty black, his nose thin and aquiline.

Many English tenant farmers with capitals of from $1,000 to $5,000 are writing to this country, inquiring about the desirability of their settling in Oregon

Mr. Dion Boucicault has written a new comedy for Wallack's Theatre. It will be brought out first, however, at the Boston Museum.

Miss Alice Longfellow, daughter of the poet, has become the Massachusetts vice-regent of the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association.

General Grant is to be invited to the Nashville centennial celebration next April.

General Sheridan is again ill, and is threatened with pneumonia.

Captain James B. Eads, of St. Louis bridge and jetty fame, has recently been in Jerusalem and through the Holy land. He gave up, however, his proposed journey through to Damascus, and went from Jaffa to Cairo.

Mr. William Astor, who has in the winter time identified himself with Florida, pays this year a large amount towards premiums for the Florida State fair.

A "Business" Proposition.

The Philadelphia *Record* offers a $1,000 reward to any one who will furnish proof that Senator Bayard ever held a commission in the Southern army, or even show that a commission in that service was ever offered to him. This is a very safe offer, but the *Record* seems to have heard a new version of the very stale slander that Mr. Bayard was once the captain of "a rebel company" in this State. That story is as absurdly false as the other, and the *Every Evening* stands ready to prove its falsity.—*Wilmington (Del.) Every Evening.*

A Manager Defaulates.

McKee Rankin's dramatic company was compelled to pay a heavy license fee at Savannah, Ga., and Mr. Rankin retaliated by issuing no free tickets to city officials. Five policemen marched past the doorkeeper, however, notwithstanding a demand for pay. The manager went before the curtain and said that if the five deadheads insisted on remaining no performance would be given and the money would be returned to the rest of the audience. Groans and hisses for the policemen finally drove them out.

An Addition to the Astor Library.

Mr. John J. Astor has presented the Astor Library in New York with a plot of land adjoining the library building. The size of the plot is 100 feet by 52 feet 6 inches. It is intended to build on it an extension to the library, and Mr. Astor's architect has submitted to him the plan for the new building, but the work will probably not begin until spring.

Medical.

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Yours gratefully,
MRS. FULLER SUTT.

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H. R. STEVENS, BOSTON:

I have been suffering for 25 years with the Piles and found but little relief from any medicine that I have taken for many years past. Last winter I suffered considerably worse than ever before, also in connection with Rheumatism I was confined to my bed for several weeks. Having procured a bottle of Vegetine I took it with good effect. I continued the use, and after taking four or five bottles, find myself comparatively cured. I can cheerfully recommend it for the benefits that I have received from it.

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Yours respectfully,
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Whenever the above symptoms are found to exist,

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RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 16, 1879.

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Now is the time to get bargains in

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TO GET BARGAINS

Come soon, as we wish to make room TO ER CAR LOAD that is on the road.

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A LIGHT, Iron-gray Mule left my house on the night of December 4th, 1879. She is marked on the left shoulder with a black spot hair rubbed off by collar. She was bought in Raleigh a short time since. Any information relating to her whereabout will be thankfully received, by addressing me at the NEWS office, or Leachburg, Johnston county, N. C.

PRESTON WALLACE.

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These pills are made of certain ingredients that act specially on the Liver, and at the same time expel all impurities from the stomach and system, aiding digestion, and Restoring to Health, when all other remedies fail.

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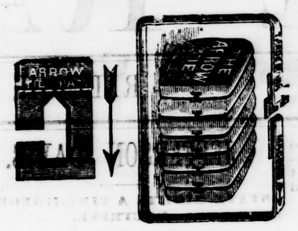

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Also, a full stock of Meat, Meal, Corn, Flour, Molasses, Sugar, Coffee, Salt, &c., &c., all of which I offer upon as low terms as they can be bought anywhere.

Personal care given to the sale of Cotton, and upon any Cotton stored with me for higher prices I will make liberal cash advances, low rate of interest and small charge for storage. Consignments and correspondence solicited. I will be glad to have my friends and customers call at my office to see me when they come to Raleigh.

J. J. THOMAS,
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We have in store and to arrive, (beside our line of Christmas Goods),

One car load Seed Oats,

Two car loads Marshall's Salt,

Twenty Boxes C. R. Sides,

One car load Flour,

One car load Meal.

Soaps, Oysters,

Crackers, Candies,

Snuff, Tobacco, &c.

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Wilmington St., 2 Doors North Market.
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People who eat this flour will live longer make more money, wear better clothes, pay their pew and house rent and go to church more regularly, and keep a larger bank account than any other class of men Forty more sacks just received by

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Hoping the former customers will favor me with their orders,

I am, very truly,

W. F. ASKEW.

Raleigh, Dec. 13, 1879. dec14-3w

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"Inside and Knuckle," sliced or shaved to order.

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FINE TEAS, SUGARS, COFFEES, &c.

ARBUCKLE'S ARIOSA COFFEE, fresh Roasted, at 20 cents per pound.

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Everything in STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES.

First-Class Goods! Low Prices! Prompt Delivery!

Same Goods at same prices may be bought of Mr. FLEMING BATES, Agent, next door to Citizens' Bank, and will be promptly delivered.

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W. C. & A. B. Stronach,

DECEMBER 3d, 1879.

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

2000 lbs. Pure Plain French Candies,
55 Boxes London Layer & Layer Raisins.
2000 lbs. Nuts, Almonds, Walnuts Brazils, Pecans and Filberts.
600 lbs. Fresh Citron and Currants.
400 Fresh Cocoanuts.
500 lbs. French-Turkish Prunes, Eating and Cooking.
LONDON LAYER FIGS.
Table Delicacies.
Fruits in Tin.
California Bartlett Pears and Apricots.
California Green Gage Plums, Muscat Grapes, White Cherries, Extra Choice Yellow Peaches,
Sliced and Whole.
Eyeless Pine Apples.
Preserved Strawberries,
Vegetables in Tin,
Baldwin & Cooke's Favorite Tomatoes,
Windham and Burnham and Merrill's Corn
Early June and Marrowfat Peas.
Oyster Bay Asparagus.
Lima Beans,
MEATS AND FISH IN TIN.
Roast and Corned Beef Lunch Tongue,
Potted Tongue, Turkey,
Game and Lobster,
Salmon, Mackerel,
Deep Sea Mackerel, 5 lb. Tins,
Shrimp, clams and Clam Chow-chow,
Alexis Godillat's Olives, Olive Oil,
Pickles Capers and Sardines.
FRUIT PRESERVES,
Strawberry, Pine Apple,
Raspberry, Blackberry,
White Cherry, Damson,
Red Cherry, Green Gage, Limes,
Crab Apple, Quince,
Gooseberry, Peach, Citron,
Tomato and Pear,
2 lb Jars and 1 lb Tumblers.
FRUIT JELLIES.
Red and Black Currant,
Apple, Strawberry,
Grape, Crab Apple,
Raspberry, Quince, Pine Apple,
Orange and Lemon,
Assorted Jellies in Tumblers, $1.00 per Dozen.

SPECIAL.

Colgate's Finest Soaps and Extracts in Elegant Glove and Handkerchief Boxes.
Turkish Preserved Roses,
Pickled Rooster Combs.
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Miscellaneous.

Wood, Coal,
Wood, Coal,
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Wood, Coal,
Lumber and Brick,
Lumber and Brick.
Lumber and Brick,

J. D. WHITAKER,

Foot Hargett Street, Raleigh, N. C.
nov 16-tf

NEW BAKERY,

Cakes!

Cakes!!

Cakes!!!

I have just put up an oven and am now prepared to furnish dealers or families with CAKES of all kinds, from the ginger-snap to the wedding cake, baked in a style unsurpassed by any bakery in the South.

On and after Wednesday, the 17th inst., I will supply the trade, families and the public generally with BREAD of fine quality and flavor.

Wedding and private parties supplied with cakes and confectioneries at short notice.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

JOHN A. BRAGASSA,
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Raleigh, September 16, 1879.

$40 PER DAY!

WANTED—A first-class Canvassing Agent to take the exclusive agency in Raleigh, for the splendid OIL PRINT (the nearest approach to an oil painting that has ever been produced).

THE LAST MEETING OF GENERALS LEE AND JACKSON, which occurred a few hours prior to the latter receiving his death-wound. This splendid picture is just ready for delivery. We will give the names of agents who have made as high as $40 a day selling it in small towns It is the best thing offered agents for years, and we want good men only to engage with us. Outfit and exclusive agency, $12.75.

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"Holiday Gifts."

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER,

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Special Preparations

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Fresh purchases made during the past week by Col. TUCKER, in the Northern markets

Splendid line of Black Silks from 90c to $3.50.

Black Cashmeres from 50c. to $1.25 all wool.

Colored Cashmeres from 40c to 85c—regular line of colors

Tycoon reps for Wrappers.

Dress goods, all styles and prices from 12½c up.

Manties, cloaks, circulars, walking jackets and ulsters for Ladies' and Misses.

Embroideries, laces, lace fits, lace handkerchiefs, hem-stitched handkerchiefs, colored border handkerchiefs.

Silk handkerchiefs from 25c to $1.25.

Mufflers, nubias, woolen jackets, hoods and scarfs. Kid gloves.

Zephyr shawls, blanket shawls, ruchings, linen collars and cuffs.

Carpets, rugs druggets, oil cloths, table linen, napkins, doylers, towels, cloth table and piano covers.

Lace curtains, tidies, lace counterpanes and pillow shams.

Fancy articles, fans, etc.

We call special attention to this attractive announcement of special purchases for the

HOLIDAY TRADE,

so that every one can treat themselves and friends.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

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Ladies Felt Skirts!

EMBROIDED, BRAIDED AND TRIMMED

All Wool Skirts.

FANCY SILK HANDKERCHIEFS,

A Fine Silk Handkerchief for 25 cents

Ladies Linen Collars,

All Linen. All sizes. All styles.

Corsets! Corsets!

Black, Brown, Blue, Pink, Side Lace and five hundred bone, etc., etc.

GLOVES.

Gent's, Ladies' and Misses', Kid, Berlin fancy lined Silk, Dogskin and Buckskin Gauntlets' etc., etc.

Towels! Towels!!

Turkish Bath, Huckaback, Honey Comb.

DAMASK—CORUGATED, TERRY All linen.

Linen and Cotton—All sizes, up to 60 inches. All Prices.

All at

YEARGAN, PETTY & CO'S.

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Tailor.

BUSINESS REMOVAL.

Having removed from my old rooms over TUCKER'S STORE to the

Store on Hargett Street

One door East of Rosenbaum's Clothing House, I would respectfully announce to my former customers that I am now much better prepared to serve them in the capacity of

Merchant Tailor.

Being more conveniently located and occupying a well arranged store my facilities will thereby be greatly increased.

I am now in receipt of the largest and most varied selection of samples Winter SUITINGS ever brought to this market, and I am confident I can render better satisfaction to my patrons than I have heretofore been able to do.

T. R. LOADER,
North side Hargett, one door East of Fayetteville Street
sept 24-d3m RALEIGH, N. C.

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JEWELRY, WATCHES

Diamonds, Spectacles

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MEDALS AND BADGE-PINS SPECIALTY.

THE largest stock of goods in the South. Solid Silver and Plated ware, for sale at factory prices. Watch repairing a specialty. Orders by mail promptly attended to and satisfaction in all cases guaranteed.

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1,280 ACRES

—OF—

Valuable Turpentine Land

—FOR—

Sale by Auction.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Moore county, I will proceed on

THURSDAY, 23D DAY DEC. NEXT,

at 12 o'clock to sell by public auction, at the Court House door in Carthage, that valuable body of ROUND PINE, consisting of two sections of 640 ACRES each, lying on Horses Creek, on or near the Raleigh & Augusta Air-Line Railroad, about two miles from Blue's Crossing, adjoining the land of Malcolm Blue, McLeod and others and known as the Black and Murphy land.

TERMS OF SALE: One third cash; balance in 6, 12, 18 and 24 months, with interest at 8 per cent. Bond and security to be given for first two deferred payments. Title retained till purchase money is paid.

JOHN W. HINSDALE,
Commissioner.

N. C. Gazette copy t d s.

The Four Seasons.

From Theodore Tilton's New Book of Poems

I.

In the balmy April weather,
My love, you know,
When the corn began to grow,
What walks we took together,
What sighs we breathed together,
What vows we pledged together,
In the days of long ago!

II.

In the golden summer weather,
My love, you know,
When the mowers went to mow,
What homes we built together,
What babes we watched together,
What plans we planned together,
While the skies were all agiow!

III.

In the rainy, autumn weather,
My love, you know,
When the winds began to blow,
What tears we shed together,
What mounds we heaped together,
What hopes we lost together,
When we laid our darlings low!

IV.

In the wind and wintry weather,
My love, you know,
With our heads as white as snow,
What prayers we pray together,
What fears we share together,
What heaven we seek together,
For our time has come to go!

From The German.

God's angels took a little drop of dew,
Fresh fallen from Heaven's far-off blue;
And a white violet, so pure and bright,
Shedding its fragrance in the moon's soft light;
And a for-get me-not;
Laid all together gently out of sight
Within the chalice of a lily white.
With humbleness and grace they covered it;
Made pureness and sadness near to sit,
And added pride to this, and fears a few,
One wish, but half a hope, and bright tears, too,
Courage and sweetness in misfortune's smart;
And out of this they moulded—WOMAN'S HEART.

The Florence Nightingale of the Nursery.

The following is an extract from a letter written to the *German Reformed Messenger*, at Chambersburgh, Penn:—

A BENEFACTRESS.

Just open the door for her, and Mrs. Winslow will prove the American Florence Nightingale of the Nursery. Of this we are so sure, that we will teach our "Susy" to say, "A blessing on Mrs. Winslow" for helping her to survive and escape the griping, colicking, and teething siege. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup relieves the child from pain, and cures dysentery and diarrhœa. It softens the gums, reduces inflamation, cures wind colic, and carries the infant safely through the teething period. It performs precisely what it professes to perform, every part of it—nothing less. We have never seen Mrs. Winslow—know her only through the preparation of her "Soothing Syrup for Children Teething." If we had the power we would make her, as she is a physical saviour to the infant race. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents a bottle.

Cuticura

BLOOD AND SKIN HUMORS,

The Scourge of Mankind. Old Methods of Treatment and Remedies a Failure.

CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the Great Blood Purifier and Liver Stimulant, is the most searching, cleansing, and purifying agent of this country. It may be detected in the saliva, sweat, milk, blood, and urine in forty minutes after taking the first dose, showing that it has entered the circulation and been carried to every part of the system. It forever eradicates the virus of Syphilis, Scrofula, Cancer, and Canker, those terrible blood poisons that rot out the machinery of life, filling the body with foul corruptions. Taken internally in conjunction with the external application of CUTICURA, the Great Skin Cure, it speedily cures Scrofulous Ulcers and Old Sores, Salt Rheum, Psoriasis, Tetter, Ringworm, Scald Head, Dandruff, and all Itching and Scaly Diseases of the Skin and Scalp.

ECZEMA ON THE SCALP.

BREAST AND LIMBS CURED.

Messrs. WEEKS & POTTER: Gualemen—I cannot refrain from adding my debt of gratitude to you for having placed within my reach the wonderful CUTICURA REMEDIES, which have rendered unnecessary all further experiment of physicians, and in a remarkably short space of time have rid me of a loathsome disease. I dispensed with all physicians two years ago, believing they did me no good. The CUTICURA has stopped this unsatisfactory expense—even if it were necessary—and I had the courage any longer to follow their advice—and brought the long-looked-for cure and happiness.

I have been afflicted with Eczema or Salt Rheum on my scalp, breast, and limbs for five years, during which time I have been under the treatment of physicians, or at mineral springs, or taking some kind of medicine. I have been treated by Drs —— of ——, Dr. —— of ——, and visited sulphur springs and taken numbers of patent medicines, all without the faintest approach to a cure.

April 1st last, I began the use of CUTICURA, which was immediately successful in my case, entirely curing me. I have not had a clean scalp for 15 years until the use of CUTICURA entirely healed it and left it clean and healthy. The other parts of my body were affected in a more aggravated form, but are now completely healed. I believe myself completely cured. I shall continue the CUTICURA RESOLVENT as directed, for its wonderful action on the stomach and bowels and cooling influence on the blood. It will afford me pleasure, as I have done in many cases, to urge the afflicted to use these wonderful remedies.

Yours, etc.,
STEPHEN CROWELL.
NEW BEDFORD, Sept. 30, 1878.

A RUNNING SORE

CURED IN ONE WEEK.

Messrs. WEEKS & POTTER:—Some three or four weeks ago I ordered a box of CUTICURA for a bad case of Salt Rheum. The back of one of my wife's hands was a running sore. In one week from the day it arrived her hand was well and has remained so up to to-day. E. P. DAGGETT.
MILFORD, ME., June 10, 1878.
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BUCHANAN SPRINGS,

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STATE ASSAYER AND CHEMIST'S OFFICE,
RICHMOND, November 1, 1878.

The Lager Beer manufactured by Mr. G. W. Robinson, at the EAGLE BREWERY, in this city, has been chemically examined by me, the samples tested having been collected by myself, and found free from adulterating substances. It may be used as a medicine, or beverage, in full assurance of its purity. WM. H. TAYLOR, M. D.,
State Chemist.

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A VEGETABLE MEDICINE FOR THE BLOOD, LIVER & KIDNEYS.

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CURATINE, For Kidney Diseases.

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A medicinal compound of known value—combining in one preparation the curative powers of the evils which produce all diseases of the ***Blood***, the ***Liver***, the ***Kidneys***. Harmless in action and thorough in its effect. It is unexcelled for the cure of all ***Blood Diseases*** such as ***Scrofula, Tumors, Boils, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism, Mercurial Poisoning***, also ***Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Retention of Urine, etc.***

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DAILY NEWS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1879.

Entered at the Postoffice at Raleigh, N. C., as second-class matter.

Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.

For South Atlantic States rising barometer, northeasterly winds, colder and generally clear weather.

Index to New Advertisements.

J J L McCULLERS—Land sale.
GOO S YINGLING—Wanted.
GEO P ROWELL—New advertisements

LOCAL BRIEFS.

——Revenue receipts yesterday $1,-111.54.

——Cotton active yesterday, closing at 11 3-4 to 11 7-8, basis middling.

——Treasur Worth is confined at his home by indisposition.

——Colonel T. M. Holt is in the city at the Yarboro.

——The new kitchen of the National Hotel is approaching completion.

——The cotton report in Sunday's NEWS was wrong. It should have been 11 5-8 in lieu of 12 3-8.

——One car load of fodder just received at Job Osborn's grain and feed store.

——Raleigh Chapter No. 10 meets tonight in regular conclave. All are requested to attend.

——It has been decided not to perform the Old Folks Concert again tonight, much to the regret of the lovers of fine art in the city.

——The skating rink was well attended last night. It is the most popular place in the city.

——There will be a meeting of Thompson's Silver Cornet Band tonight at 7 o'clock, at their band room. Every member is requested to be present.

——Captain William W. White, Register of Deeds for Wake county, left for New Berne last evening for a kinsman's nuptial convivialities.

——Though the Old Folk's Concert will not be repeated to-night, yet we are glad to state it will be, in all likelihood, at some date not far distant as we are "officially" informed.

——We regret to learn of the death on Sunday night last of the bright, interesting little four year old son of Mr. Robert Watkins at Rogers Cross Roads, ten miles north of this city.

Died.

In this city on the 14th instant, Mrs. Laura Battle McKee, wife of Major W. B. Gulick, aged thirty-four years.

Mayor's Court.

One drunk and down. The Christmas holidays are approaching. Tom Christmas was apprehended for stealing a suit of clothes. Bound over to appear at court.

Important Railroad Meeting.

An important meeting of all the leading railroad officials in the South, met at Atlanta, Georgia, to-day. The Raleigh & Gaston and Raleigh & Agusta Air-Line railroads are represented by Colonel John M. Robinson and Major John C. Winder and the North Carolina railroad by Colonel A. S. Buford and Colonel A. B. Andrews.

Mrs. Gulick.

Major W. B. Gulick, a well-known and respected citizen of this place has met with a loss in the death of his wife, Mrs. Laura McK. Gulick. She had been ill but for a short time and no immediate danger was apprehended, but the disease taking a worse stage she succumbed, leaving five children. Funeral services were held at the residence at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Charleston and Columbia papers please note.

A Worthy Object.

A committee will wait on our citizens to solicit contributions in aid of the Swain street church and Sunday. A fair is appointed for Monday next, the proceeds to be applied to the building of a new church which they propose to erect on the corner of Person and Hargett streets. Contributions in kind are asked for to help on the supper, and those attending may expect a good time.

Santa-Claus Headquarters.

For the next ten days, "Santa-Claus Headquarters" will be at Alfred Williams & Co.'s Bookstore. Also headquarters for all others who desire to select the prettiest and most appropriate articles for Christmas and New Year gifts. The juvenile and holiday books this season are perfect marvels of beauty and excellence.

Horner's School.

The school of the Messrs. T. J. & W. D Horner, of Henderson, is in a more flourishing condition than it ever was. The name of Horner is a household word in educational circles throughout the South. The senior member of the firm is one of the oldest and most celebrated teachers in North Carolina, while the junior member, a graduate of Chapel Hill, has been engaged in teaching for twelve years. In this school is happily blended the experience and wisdom of age with the energy of youth. One of the finest schools in the State. Patronize it.

Public Health Jeopardized.

There are baking powders now in the market which contain substances injurious to health and the public should be warned against using them. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is known to be free from all these substances and used in the familes of the most careful and sagacious medical men in this country.

Is Your Drinking Water Pure.

Dr. Wood wishes us to announce for the North Carolina Board of Health, that the chemist of the board is now pushing forward analyses of drinking water. This work is done free, the only expense being the freight to the laboratory at Chapel Hill. Directions for packing, and other information on the subject will be furnished on request.

This opportunity will not last very long, and all should avail themselves of the rare privilege. Address Dr. Wood, Wilmington, N. C.

Fine Printing.

Mr. A. V. Haight, the "Boss" Printer of the United States, has sent to the NEWS office specimens of his work. A card that carries seven impressions—plain at that—is superb. It shows the difference between *good* and commonplace.

When good work can be done at the same price that poor work is done, it seems strange that our mechanics do not take advantage of it. It is as simple as A. B. C. But they fail to realize it.

Mr. Haight has gained a reputation from the Pacific slope to the Orient. His work stood pre-eminent at the Caxton exhibition at London two years ago. And "the master hand has lost none of its ancient cunning." Kelley, of New York, with his marbled work, is in the shade; the New Orleans workman, with his globe supported on nothing, is nowhere.

Mr. Haight, with his letter-press (no stereotyped blocks), his mitered rules, his splendid combination of colors, stands pre-eminent.

He is a model for job printers to follow.

A Colored Wedding.

In this good city on the 10th instant, by the Rev. George S. Smith, pastor of the Congregationalist Church, John Merritt, of Sampson county, and Miss Mattie Hunter, of Raleigh.

The waiters on the occasion were: Miss Ida Ransom and Alston Higgs; Miss Rhoda Alston and R. M. Hackny; Miss Emma Cake and Eddie Hunter; Miss Maggie Haywood and B. J. Edwards; Miss Ada Manley and James Hamlin; Miss Anna Hunter and Merriman Wortham; Miss Sarah Dunston and William Plummer.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the residence of the bride's father, where they enjoyed all the hospitalities that could be expected—and they were not small.

In the line of presents the bride received presents from her friends that were gratefully received; and for worth, reflected credit on her friends.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

YARBOROUGH HOUSE—Dr. G. W. Blacknall, Proprietor.

H E Mills, Cincinnati, Ohio; W D Martin, New York; A L Duvall, Baltimore; J P Thomas, A & P Tel Co.; E H Lewis, New Jersey; Jno O Barham, Petersburg; J W Price, Baltimore; E L Frederick, New Orleans; H A Reams, Durham; J N Lyon, Durham; Geo T Leach, New York; James Dalrymple, Jonesboro; Geo Myers, Wilmington; J L Thompson, Baltimore; G N Naesche, Greensboro; Thos M Holt, Haw River; Mrs Thos M Holt, Haw River; Mrs Henderson' Miss Scales, North Carolina; J B Hughes, Bingham School; M Jordan, Charlotte; W H Holleman, Wake; W A Bobbitt, Jr., Franklinton; Mrs R R Davis, Warren county; H L Harrison, Richmond; G S Jones, Wilmington; Jno D Whitford, New Berne; C M Cooke, Louisburg; Dr R D Fleming, Warrenton.

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Keep it in the house and it will save you many an anxious moment during the change of seasons and weather. We refer to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Moseley's dining saloon is a credit to the city.

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500 tons just received (and more behind to come when that is sold), of the purest sort, and not too much OIL in it, will last well and give good heat, and will *not burn up in a minute*. Price as low as any. Give me a trial.

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Then look out for falling bricks, icy walks, runaway horses, edged tools, burns, scalds, bruises, &c., &c., and have a *General Accident Policy in the Travelers. Wm. P. Wetherell, Agent, Raleigh, N. C.*

A young lady who didn't admire the custom in vogue among her sisters, of writing a letter and then cross-writing it to illegibility, said she would prefer her epistles "without an overskirt."

It is said of Leontine Nicolle, a young French nurse, in the insane asylum at La Salpetriere, that through her devotion not less than five hundred insane men and women had regained their senses and their liberty.

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A new two room dwelling house on Swain street. Contains an excellent kitchen, garden and a splendid well of water. Apply to this office.

The Electric Light.

If Professor Edison's Electric light is going to supersede the use of gas, we are glad of it. Gas is the bane of our national existence. When hoarse with too much speaking take Hall's Balsam. mis especially adapted to congressmen, Itinisters and the rest of mankind.

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And reversible overcoats. The noblest winter overcoat in the city, at

ROSENTHAL'S.

The New Fryer.

Call at Brewster's and supply yourself with one of the best and cheapest cooking arrangements ever offered to the public. For frying oysters, potatoes, etc., this useful article cannot be excelled. Another supply of the famous Argand parlor stoves arrived today.

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The economic aspect is a strong point in favor of Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts, Vanilla, Orange, Rose, Almond, Lemon, etc. They are three times the strength of the ordinary extracts; the bottles hold nearly twice as much as those sold for the same size.

The Truth.

In the whole United States there is not a flavoring extract that is so valuable, so positive, so effectual in producing the most delicious, desirable and delicate flavored cakes, pastry, ice cream, etc., as Dr. Price's justly celebrated Flavoring Extracts.

Make a Note of This.

Professor Green, a distinguished allopathic physician, wrote to the Medical Journal to the effect that after all other means had failed he sent for the Kidney Cure, (now Safe Kidney and Liver Cure), and to his astonishment cured a serious case of Bright's Disease by administering it, and afterward found it equally beneficial in other cases. He advised his brother physicians to use it in preference to anything else for kidney diseases.

Pill Box.

I offer for sale my running horse Pill Box, who came from the plow last August, having made a crop, and ran with 2 weeks' handling against trained thoroughbred race horses of reputation, beating them in half mile, mile and two miles races, at the Raleigh and Weldon fairs. He is a bright bay, fine form, and remarkably stylish, and is a most excellent saddle and double harness horse, is (6) six years passed, perfectly sound. Also Flora and Dora, a pair dark bay mares, aged 5 and 6, of beautiful form, a match in color, size, and gait, sound, and not at all afraid of cars—an excellent coach team. And lastly Jack and Jim, a pair of bright bays, 6 and 8 years old. Jack is a bad runaway horse; Jim will not only run but kicks. This team is warranted as represented; special inducements will be offered a buyer. All at J. D. Whitaker's wood, coal and lumber yard, West Hargett St.

The lady city editor of the Dubuque *Times* says: One of the greatest mysteries to us is why a fashionable young lady will turn up her nose, throw out coarse insinuations or snub an old gentleman who smokes Durham's best tobacco in a clay pipe, while in five minutes after she will blow, simper, giggle, smile and say sweet things for an hour at a time to some well-dressed fop who leans over toward her smoking a poor three cent cigar.

Myrtle Lawn.

Read "Myrtle Lawn," by Robert E. Ballard, of North Carolina. The most entertaining novel of the day. Bound in Morocco, Cloth and Gilt. Price by mail post paid, $1.50. Sold by Alfred William s & Co., Raleigh. dec6-1

How many a home has been robbed of sunshine and happiness and rendered desolate by the loss of some dear and petted child. This is a dangerous season for children, and parents should keep Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup handy. Price 25 cents.

Political Issues.

Kearney's advice to all parties is to "pool their issues." We think a good deal as he does, that we should bury the dead issues of the past. As a healing compound for all issues, sores, wounds &c, there is nothing equal to Henry's Carbolic Salve. Beware of counterfeits.

Neuralgine.

This is not a KING CURE-ALL. But is only good for Neuralgia and Headache. For these troubles it is the only specific known. Sold by all the leading druggists. tf.

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A $1,500 stock on hand at

J. L. STONE'S.

Ale, Porter and Mineral Waters.

My facilities for the delivery of the above in bottles or kegs, are superior to any in the State. Prices as low as the lowest. Country orders solicited.

M. BILLS, Raleigh, N. C.
City Botling Works.

Fine Scotch Gingham umbrellas at $1.00 each, at R. B. Andrews & Company, Clothiers and Hatters.

Once Again.

J. M. Rosenbaum has just received n other lot of fresh goods.

Just Arrived.

Thirty gross more Patapsco Baking Powders. Merchants from the country and city can be supplied at Baltimore prices.

Also just to hand
One car choice Timothy Hay,
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Orange Grove Extra Flour,
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At wholesale by

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New England Organs and Waters' Pianos. J. L. STONE, Agent.

Overcoats for Everybody.

If you need an overcoat you will find our stock large to select from. We carry from the cheapest to the best. Men's ranging all along from $2.50, $3.50, $4.00, $6.00, $7.50 up. Boy's from $3.50 up. An inspection will save money.

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Of clothing both in variety and style, at

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For best Lynn Haven Bay Oysters, half shell or stewed, nine year old Baker Whisky, and fresh genuine imported Champagne, go to Lawrence & Renfrow's. 1m.

Call at Meyer's for a schooner of Eckert & Winter's New York beer for five cents.

Cypress Shingles

cheaper than ever before offered in Raleigh for sale by Jones, Green & Powell.

Provides For Them All.

The papers are full of accidents, by rail, river and sea; on the street or the farm, in the mill, shop, store, office: at home and abroad. An accident policy in the Travelers provides for them all. W. P. Wetherell, agent

Mr. J. L. Stone's average sales o New Home Sewing Machines are over one hundred per month; he has sold over fifty (50) in the last week. Office and show-rooms No. 18, Fayetteville street, Raleigh, NC.

Large Sale.

J. L. Stone, general agent for the New Home Sewing Machine Company, sold 229 of these machines last month, being the largest purchase ever made in North Carolina by any one agent. He also sells other machines.

What is Hay Fever?

This fashionable disorder is supposed to be an affection of the mucous membrane of the nose. They say that Henry's Carbolic salve will cure it if used freely and persistently. Give it a trial. Beware of counterfeits.

Christmas Goods! New Goods!!

Several large cases of new goods just opened, consisting of suits, overcoats, etc., for men and boys. These goods were ordered especially for Christmas and the holidays and will be sold at pricos that will certainly save you money. R. B. ANDREWS & Co.,
Clothiers and Hatters.

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of clothing in all the latest and most popular styles arriving daily at

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Do you suffer with neuralgia or headach? If so take Neuralgine and be relieved. Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction if taken according to directions. Hutchinson & Bros., Proprietors, 14 Whitehall street, Atlanta, Georgia. Sold by Pescud, Lee & Co., and William Simpson, Raleigh.

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In the treatment of Dyspepsia, Chlorosis, Anæmia, Nervous and Muscular Debility, Nervous and Sick Headache, Dysmenorrhœa, Menorrhagia, Amenorrhœa, diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder and such like organic or functional disturbances, I know of no remedy upon which I can rely with more certainty of satisfactory results than the "Seven Springs Mass."

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All who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will send a receipt that will cure you, free of charge. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, Bible House, New York City.

Delightful Bouquets.

Dr. Price's Meadow Flowers, Evening Violet, Lily of the Valley, Pet Rose, and his handkerchief perfumes, are delightful bouquets. They are certainly the most exquisite scents that can be imagined—the odor of dainty buds and rich blossoms.

Practical Economy.

Before Patapsco Baking Powders was patented and placed on the market, consumers had to pay 50 cents per pound for the Old Rut Powders. You can now buy Patapsco for about one-half that amount. This accounts for the popularity of Patapsco.

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Since the introduction of Patapsco Baking Powder on the market and the complete revolution it has effected in the trade, venders of unreliable powders have sought to sell their goods on the popularity of Patapsco by claiming the same peculiarity. Don't believe them, Stick to what you know to be good.

For the Holidays!

Brewster has just filled his store, especially for the season. Stop and examine his stock of fancy goods, toilet and cologne sets, vases, majolica ware, *tete a tete* sets, toy tea sets, silver and fine plated ware. If you wish to make a nice present, we advise you to call on Brewster.

Handmade Shoes, "such as the new style of French and English Toes. A new lot of Opera Cloaks. The third stock of the celebrated Pearl Shirts, from $1.00 to $1.25 and $1.35. My upstairs Clothing Department cannot be excelled. Jos. P. GULLY.

RALEIGH MARKETS.

CITY MARKETS—Wholesale Prices

Corrected by REDFORD & ARENDELL.
Official Report of Grocers Exchange.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 15, 1879.

Flour, North Carolina	$ 700	@7	50
Corn	60	@	75
Corn Meal	70	@	75
Bacon, N. C. Hog round		9@	10
" " hams			13
Bulk Meats, clear rib sides	8	@	0 00
" " shoulders	5½	@	6
North Carolina Pork	4	@	5
Coffee, prime Rio		@	18
" good		@	15
Syrup, S. H.	25	@	
Molasses, Cuba	33	@	35
Salt, Liverpool			2 00
Sugar, white	11	@	12
" yellow	9½	@	10
Irish potatoes	75	@	125
" North Carolina	40	@	45
Sweet Potatoes	50		
Oats, shelled	50		
Peaches, peeled	8 per lb		
" unpealed	3	"	
Apples, dried	3	@	4
Cotton Ties, new	$2.75	@3.00	
" " spliced	2,00		
Bagging	11	@	12¼
Peas, per bushel, white	85	@	90
" " " stock	70	@	80
Eggs		@	15
Butter		@	25
Beeswax	16	25@	
Rags—mixed	1¼	@	
" cotton	1¾	@	

Above are for large quantities. When mall quantities are wanted higher prices will be charged.

DURHAM TOBACCO MARKET.

REPORTED BY H. A. REAMS

PROPRIETOR OF REAMS' WAREHOUSE.

DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 13, 1879.

LUGS.

Dark	$2 00@$3 00
Red	3 00@ 4 00

BRIGHT LUGS.

Common	4 00@ 6 00
Medium	7 00@ 9 00
Good	10 00@13 00
Fancy	16 00@20 00

RED LEAF.

Common Dark	2 00@ 3 00
Good	3 50@ 5 50
Fine	6 00@ 8 00
Extra Fine	

BRIGHT WRAPPERS.

Common	9 00@13 00
Medium	16 00@25 00
Fine	38 00@48 00
Extra	55 00@65 00

Breaks during the week have been heavy, but no change is noted in prices since our last report. Prices closed firm on all coloring grades in good order.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Money at 5@6; Exchange weak at 4.81@4.81½. Governments 3a5s; four per cents. 3¾. State bonds dull.

Cotton—net receipts, 2278 bales; gross 129,73. Futures weak; sales 158,000; December 12.31a15.33; January 12.46a12 48; February 12.69a70; March 12.96; April 13.00a13.1 4; May 13.30@13.34; June 13.44a13.46; July 13.55@13.57; August 13.61a13.65.

Cotton nominal; sales 314 bales; uplands 12 5-8; Orleans 12 3-4; weekly net receipts 4525; exports to Great Britain 10,225.

Dec 15.—Cotton—Middling, low middling and good ordinary: Galveston—dull at 12, 11¾, 11¾ and 11¼ cents; net receipts 4,338 bales. Norfolk—steady 12¾ cents; net receipts 5,712 bales: Baltimore—quiet at 12¾, 12¼, and 12 cents net receipts 450; sales 532; Boston—dull at 12¾ 12 3-8, and 12 cents; net receipts 2468 bales; sales 3385; Wilmington—quiet, 11¾, 11 7-16, 11 1-16 cents; net receipts 215 bales; sales none Philadelphia—quiet at 13; 12¾; 12¾ cents; net receipts 124 bales. Savannah—quiet at 12¾; 11¾ and 11¾; net receipts 6546 bales. New Orleans—weak 11¾, 11¾ and 11¼ cents; net receipts 14544 bales. Mobile quiet at 11¾, 11½ 11; net receipts 4,687 bales.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Southern flour firm and moderately active; common to fair extra $6.75a7.00; good to choice to $7.10a8.50. Wheat feverish and irregular closing about one cent better with weak; ungraded winter red $1.40a1.47½ No. 3 $1.48a1.41; No. 2 do $1.54a1.57; No. 1 do $1.49½a1.50; mixed winter $1.46. Corn ½d better and fairly active; ungraded 59a56½. Oats about ½ better and active; No. 3 at 46½. Coffee dull and heavy, rio 14½. Sugar dull and nominal; standard A, 9¾; powdered, 10a 10¼; refined quiet and prices unaltered. Molasses—foreign, nominal; New Orleans in fair demand, 38a45. Rosin steady at $1.65 for good strained; turpentine firm at 41. Wool strong and in good demand; domestic fleece 42a58; unwashed 18a36; Texas 17a35. Pork higher and fairly active; closing weak at $12.75a13.25; middies quiet and firm; long clear 7½; short clear 7¾; long and short half and-half 7⅞. Lard active and higher but closing rather heavy; prime steam spot $8.05a8.15. Whisky nominal at $1.17. Freights easier.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 15.—Oats active, Southern 47a48; Western white 46a47; do. mixed, 45a46½; Penn'vania. 47a50. Provisions steady. Mess pork, 14 Bulk meats, loose; shoulders 5. clear rib sides 7½; do. packed 5¾a7¾. Bacon shoulders 5½; clear rib sides 8¼; hams 10¼a11¼. Lard, refined tierces, 8¾. Coffee firm, Rio in cargoes 14a17. Sugar quiet and lower; A soft, 9¼a9¾. Whisky firm at 1.14a115. Freights quiet.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—Flour steady at $6.25a6.40. Wheat strong at $1.34a 1 36. Corn stronger at 41a44. Oats firm at 38a41. Pork dull at $13 25. Lard lower and we quote at $7 30. Bulk meats dull. Shoulders half cured 7; short clear sides 7¾. Bacon dull nominal, clear rib 7¾. Green meats heavy; shoulders and sides 6¼a6¾; hams, buyers and sellers apart.

New Advertisements.

Land Sale.

By virtue of a mortgage executed to me by Wesley Jones, dated February 18th 1878, recorded in the Register's office of Wake county, in book 50 p 234, I will on the 15th day of January, 1880, at the court house door, sell the following described tract of land in Swift-Creek township, Wake county, adjoining the lots of Mathew Stevens, Samuel Utley and others, 62½ acres more, or less, known as the "Macklin place."

Place of sale, court house door.
Time of sale, 15th day of January, 1880.
Terms of Sale, cash

J. J. L. McCULLERS, JR.,
dlm Mortgagee.

WANTED.—A thoroughly competent gentleman to take the General Agency for the "State Mutual Benefit Association of Carroll county," about to be established in your State. Address with reference.

GEO. S. YINGLING, Sec'y.
d2t. Westminster, Maryland,

Eminent Dr. WM. ALEX. GREEN,
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For Sale.

LAND FOR SALE.

ON MONDAY, the 5th day of January, 1880, at 12 M., I will sell at public outcry at the Court House door in Raleigh, two tracts of land in Barton's Creek township, Wake county, on the Fish Dam road, about fifteen miles from Raleigh, being a portion of the dower land of Elizabeth Moore, dec'd. The tracts adjoin each other—one contains sixty-three (63) acres, the other twenty-seven (27) acres.

Sale made under judgment of Wake Superior Court, in the Special Proceeding for partition entitled, J. F. Lassiter and others against Martha Lassiter and others.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent of purchase money cash; residue on a credit of nine (9) months from day of sale; bond with security required for deferred payment.

D. R. UPCHURCH,
Commissioner.

Nov. 28, 1879. [d1m

VALUABLE CITY LOTS FOR SALE.

We offer for sale privately the valuable property on East side of Wilmington street formerly occupied by James M. Towles dec'd, as a residence. The property will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. Terms easy.

Apply to
dtf. BATTLE & MORDECAI.

CITY LOTS FOR SALE.

By virtue of the power conferred by the will of the late H. Y. Rogers, I will, on Saturday the 20th day of December, 1879, at the Court House door in Raleigh, sell at public outcry in several parcels the lots of land in the Eastern part of the City of Raleigh, owned by said Rogers at his death and fronting on Davie and Cabarrus Streets, adjoining lots of Thos. Bashford, J. W. B. Watson, John Mills and others—being about three acres in all.

TERMS: One-third Cash; the residue with interest in twelve months. Bond and approved security required.

ANDREW SYME,
nov 22-tds Admr. &c.

NOTICE.

The undersigned, commissioner, will proceed to sell at public auction at the Court House door in the city of Raleigh, to the highest bidder six half acre building lots situated in the village of Oberlin, Wake county, on Tuesday, 30th day of December next, at 12 o'clock.

The said lots are held by Albert Pettiford, R. L. Pettiford, Nick Pettiford, Nathan B. Pettiford, J. D. Morgan and wife Dicy, J. M. Johnson and wife Lavinia as tenants in common, and are sold by order of Court for division.

Persons desiring a full and particular description of said lots will please call at my law office in the Law Building and I will show them a plat of the same.

Terms of sale, one half of purchase money to be paid in cash, and note with security given for the other half on a credit of twelve months with interest at 8 per cent. from date.

R. G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

Nov. 24th, 1879.
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SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Wake county, in a suit therein pending, wherein B. F. Moore is Plaintiff and John R. Dunn, Administrator of M. E. Carver, dec'd, Octavia I. Carver and others, are defendants, I will on Monday, the 29th of December, 1879, expose to public sale in the town of Forestville, Wake county, North Carolina, the following described real estate known as the lands of M. E. Carver, deceased,

First tract, known as the home tract of M. E Carver, dec'd, adjoining the lands of Dr. A. K. Vann, James S. Pureloy, John R. Dunn and the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, containing 72 acres, including the dwelling and outhouses. Said lands are in a high state of cultivation.

Second tract, known as the Gin Lot of said Carver, deceased, including the gin house and appurtenances, situated in the town of Forestville, containing one acre.

Terms of sale, one fourth cash, balance in one, two and three years, with interest at eight per cent, per annum. Notes with approved security to be given for the same.

For further information apply to the undersigned, or to W. H. Pace, attorney, Raleigh. Time of sale, 12 o'clock, M.

JOHN R. DUNN, Commissioner.

Forestville, N. C., Nov. 24, 1879.
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TO LET

FOR THE YEAR 1880.

ON MONDAY, the 2d day of December instant, I will let at public outcry, at the Court House door in Raleigh, for the year 1880, the following stores, houses and lots in the city of Raleigh, belonging to Mrs Mary A. Morehead, viz: The storehouses now occupied by M. J. Moseley, Mrs. M. A. Hardie, W. B. Hutchings (until lately), Pescud, Lee & Co., Wm. Simpson and J. M. Rosenbaum, on Fayetteville street. Those occupied by J. Q. Edwards, W. B. Mann & Co., and Redford & Arendell, on Hargett street; those occupied by Nicholas Johns, J. F. A. Lamond and the blacksmith Shops and Lots occupied by Austin Ford and Chap Haywood, on Wilmington street the shops occupied by Charles Conoby, on Salisbury street; the stables and lot occupied by John O. Kelley, the house and lot on Salisbury and Hargett streets, occupied by Jacob Higgs, and those on Salisbury street occupied by Mrs. Firth, Mrs. Ellen, and Pritchard & Brooks, at corner of Hillsboro street; a store and lot at corner of Salisbury and Morgan streets occupied by Isaac Moore, and the houses add lots on Blount steeets occupied by Hackney Pool and those on Davie street occupied by Robert Hines and Job Hunter, and the vacant lots Nos. 208 and 209 in the eastern part of Raleigh. Also the following

Tracts of Land

in Wake County:

1. A plantation of about 500 acres adjoining lands of Mrs Kimbro Jones, P. F. Faison, Wm. Boyland and others.

2. A tract of about 240 acres adjoining lands of Carrol Mining Co., known as the Vandergriff tract.

3. A tract of about 221 acres on Rocky Branch, adjoining W. J. W. Crowder, S. N. Young and others.

4. A tract of about 60 acres known as the Emory tract, near Tupper's X Roads.

5. A tract of about 20 acres, known as the Hartsfield place, adjoining Sanders and others.

TERMS:—Bonds and security required, payable in quarterly installments.

W. H. DAVIS,
Guardian.
Dec. 2, 1879. [tds

Miscellaneous.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER AND SPECIAL FLAVORING EXTRACTS.

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